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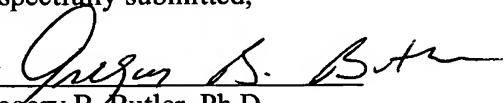
Applicants wish to thank Examiner Leith for the telephonic interview with Applicant's attorney held on August 10, 2006. In accordance with the Examiner's suggestions made during the telephonic interview, the Applicants have amended claims 94, 108 and 109. Applicants also have canceled claims 117 and 118 without prejudice.

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

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Respectfully submitted,

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